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Golf Meeting On Friday Evening

All golfers, male or female, are reminded that a meeting will be held in the basement of the Lutheran Church at 8 p.m., Friday, May 14th. This meeting is to elect officers and make plans for the coming season. Everyone welcome.

MELVIN NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Gordon McNaughton is home for the summer after attending the University of Alberta for the past term.

Bob Youngs left Sunday for a point west of Edmonton where he will be employed by Sundre Construction Company.

In spite of the muddy roads, Mrs. V. Shields entertained four tables of whist Saturday night in the W.I. telephone series. High scores were made by Dorn Gillis and Margaret Shields, congratulations going to Mrs. R. Dubois and Sherman Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wollen and family of Edmonton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Krebs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Morash returned to Calgary on Monday. Mrs. Morash and daughter had been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Korsch.

Mr. H. Fischer and Lorraine of Olds visited friends in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fischer visited with son Ronald, by telephone, from Toronto on Sunday. This is the third year Ronnie has sent Mother's Day greetings by phone.

A letter from Otto Fischer states he has arrived at White Rock, B.C., and is visiting with Justie Moir. He mentioned the wheat is six inches high in Washington.

April Meeting Of Jackson Institute

The April meeting of the Jackson W.I. was postponed until May 5 and was held at the home of Mrs. Hallett instead of Mrs. Foss' home due to bad road conditions.

Seventeen members and three visitors were present and one new member joined the organization. Roll call was answered with each member paying one penny per shoe size per foot.

Results of the jelly roll contest were first prize, Mrs. Leon Ray; second prize, Mrs. W. Owens. Mrs. Hallett gave a five-minute talk on the Coubert bomb and the great role it plays in the healing of cancer. A very interesting report on citizenship was given by Mrs. S. Owens.

"Our bit of fun" was conducted by Mrs. Carl Eckstrand.

Mrs. S. Owens was appointed to serve as delegate for the Didsbury conference to be held in June. "God Save the Queen" brought the meeting to a close and a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. W. Davies on May 26th.

Important Farmers' Meeting Here Thursday Evening

ARTHUR REINHARDT GIVEN FAREWELL PARTY

On the evening of May 4 a large group of members of Redeemer Lutheran League and other friends, gathered to bid a fond farewell to Arthur Reinhardt. Due to unforeseen circumstances, the guest of honor arrived late. The evening was spent in games, contests and a singing.

After a delicious lunch, the league president, Fred Reese, presented Art with a small gift and on behalf of all present wished him success in his undertaking.

Art has been accepted into the R.C.M.P. and after being sworn in at Calgary on May 5, left for Regina where he will enter training.

Farmers and stockmen are invited and urged to attend a meeting in the basement of the Lutheran church on Thursday, May 13 at 8 p.m.

This meeting will feature the showing of films on "Forage Crops" and "Farm Safety" together with talks on these subjects by Mr. McPhail of Olds and District Agriculturalist Eglasham of Red Deer.

The Alberta Seed Growers' Co-op and the Mountain View Agricultural Service Board are sponsoring the meeting. Those who have seen the films say that they are well worth making an effort to see.

South West Didsbury

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Miss Grace Hunsperger came from Edmonton Saturday after spending a few weeks with Miss Enith Hunsperger and is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunsperger at present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wrasche and family have moved to Miss Grace Hunsperger's farm, which was recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sherrick. She welcome the new family to the district.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dippel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Tugle and family, were Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tugle.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunsperger, Sharon and Larry and Mrs. D. B. Wood, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jackson and family of Acme.

Miss Sharon Hunsperger was on the sick list the past week and Allan Hunsperger has also been under the weather.

Mr. Verden Chaffin had the misfortune to have his jaw broken near the car as the result of being kicked by a horse. He spent several days in hospital, following which he spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. Eckstrand.

Miss Helen Swalm was a supper guest Thursday last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Polkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyer, Allan and Donald, were Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Arnold of Bowden.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bartz and Arlene were Sunday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Levagood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hipkin and Pat were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. M. Dippel and Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McNair and son of Edmonton were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Tom McNair. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Befus were Sunday evening visitors with the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Nottle and Mr. George Watson and family of Olds, Mrs. Henry Gore and Mr. Alex Gore were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reese of Calmar, were Sunday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Eckstrand and family were Friday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Befus and family.

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Mrs. George Meyer and George were Calgary visitors Thursday.

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Mrs. Esler Hostess To Didsbury W.I.

Didsbury W.I. met at the home of Mrs. A. Esler on Wednesday, May 5, with 20 members, and two visitors present. Roll call was answered with a face cloth for Korea.

The constituency conference was discussed and Mrs. Alex Shannon was appointed to make the address of welcome and Mrs. George Miller will be the official delegate.

Recipe for jelly roll was given out and it was decided to have a contest at the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Inella and use the jelly rolls for lunch. Mrs. L. Klein took the "bit of fun" which caused a great deal of merriment.

Mrs. Black read a very interesting article on the Panama Canal and the difficulties encountered in building it.

It was decided to make a quilt with blocks 18 inches each way of print patches. Mrs. Fred Evans was an interesting talk on education and its different aspects.

Mrs. Gus Blittner was appointed sick convener.

A very enjoyable lunch was then served by the hostesses, Mrs. Rathburn, Mrs. Jack Clark and Mrs. A. Wahl, after which the meeting adjourned.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mrs. Eric Atkinson and Larry returned home on Mother's Day after spending several weeks in Calgary with her parents.

Friday evening supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gebers and boys were Mr. and Mrs. Les LeGrand, Mr. and Mrs. James Worrall, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hunter and Donna and Mr. Eric Atkinson.

Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Helgren and family, were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Elliott and Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunter and boys, Mrs. Pete Krykwyj and Mrs. Grenville McCall and daughters, the occasion being Larry Helgren's fourth birthday party.

Mrs. George Meyer and George were Calgary visitors Thursday.

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WELFARE WORKER NAMED TOP CITIZEN

Named Calgary's outstanding citizen of 1953 Monday night was Miss Florence E. C. Reid, director of public relations and welfare for the Alberta Red Cross Chapter Children's Hospital and formerly matron of the hospital when it was known as the Junior Red Cross Hospital. She was honored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce for her loving work with the thousands of young crippled patients.

EXPECT HIGHWAY RE-OPEN BY 1955

Highway minister Gordon Taylor said Monday he is confident that all work on the Alberta portion of the trans-Canada highway will be completed by 1955. This includes rework in Banff National Park.

Meanwhile, the federal government has voiced no argument to the proposed plan to run the Trans-Canada highway outside of Calgary on the south side of the Bow river.

The route considered most probable is one branching off from the existing road-surface road at 24th St. N.W. through Montgomery and crossing the river near Shoubridge.

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Well done! Bantam Ben Hogan shakes hands with Sam Shend (left) after the latter beat him in a recent playoff for the coveted Masters.

FALLEN TIMBER

(From Our Own Correspondent)

A short variety program and bazaar will be held at the Fallen Timber school Saturday evening, May 15, at which time a quilt will be raffled. Everyone welcome.

The regular meeting of the Busy Bees was held at the home of Mrs. Ray McMullen, May 5th, with 11 members in attendance. It was decided to hold a dance Friday, May 28 and raffie a wine and grey satin comforter. The ladies are also going to serve lunch at the Johnson sale on May 27. Mrs. J. Dick won the 10-cent draw. Following this lunch was served by Mrs. L. Moncey and Mrs. J. Pyten.

Mrs. O. Moore of Calgary was a luncheon guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McCaffin on Sunday.

Mr. James Cooper and Miss Doris Cameron of Calgary spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooper.

Mrs. Lily McGaffin of Calgary spent Sunday in Didsbury with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCaffin and her father, Mr. H. H. Hoston, who is a patient in the Didsbury hospital.

A special Mother's Day service was held Sunday under the direction of Rev. R. and Rev. C. Moore of Calgary. Lovely pictures were presented to four of the mothers, the oldest mother present, the youngest mother present, the one with the most children and a visiting mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Essins and family were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore Sunday.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Howton were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Moore, Gary and Monty and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Moore, all of Calgary.

WESTERDALE NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Several ladies met at the home of Mrs. F. J. Jackson last Wednesday afternoon to sew another quilt. This makes a total of eleven quilts that have been completed since the latter part of January, a record for the Westerdale ladies.

Miss Creta Kershaw spent a few days at her home here, the early part of last week.

Mr. Bill Wigley of Munson has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wigley for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wigley accompanied Mr. Bill Wigley on a motor trip to Calgary last Thursday.

Mr. W. Herbert was a Calgary visitor last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kershaw motored to Acme on Sunday where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. Collinge.

TRAIN TIMES AT DIDSBURY

NORTHBOUND:
No. 521—(flag stop) 1:20 a.m. daily.
No. 527—10:04 a.m. daily.
No. 523—11:24 daily except Sunday.
No. 525—6:16 daily.

SOUTHBOUND:
No. 522—5:08 a.m. daily.
No. 524—12:23 noon daily.
No. 526—5:08 a.m. daily.
No. 528—4:58 p.m. daily, except Sunday.
No. 528—6:16 p.m. daily.

self crown, at Augusta, Ga. The one stroke edge for Sam meant a purse of \$5000 to him.

Midway News

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Good motored to Saskatoon on Sunday, returning home on Wednesday.

Miss Mildred Swanson visited over the weekend with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ohlhausen of Calgary are visiting for a few days with their son and daughter and their families.

Mrs. Jim Tanton and Neddie visited with her sister, Mrs. R. McNeen and family on Sunday, while Jim Tanton visited with Harold Swanson.

The Bancroft Buttercups Girls' Club held their mother and daughter banquet Thursday evening at Bancroft school.

Best wishes are extended to Jimmy Good, who has been home from school with the mumps, and also to Betty Marsh, who has been on the sick list.

The ball game between the Bancroft and Siebertville school children on Friday was won by Bancroft by a 14-2 score.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bennett and Mrs. Bert Bennett and family were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNeen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Stearns and family were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Swanson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Toews were Tuesday afternoon visitors with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McNeen.

Mr. and Mrs. James Worrall and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hunter and Donna were Sunday evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. H. Swanson and family and Mrs. E. Hunter.



A "Donna the Menace" doll is as its cowlick is pressed down, as five-year-old Glen Buttery is doing here, character it's modeled after. When the doll's silver-plated pistol shoots

water, much to the surprise and comfort of any unfortunate individual in the line of fire.



Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower, wearing a new spring bonnet, has been named the best-dressed woman in the United States. Others named included Mrs. Lauris Melchior, wife of the famous singer and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney.

Harmattan News

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. J. H. Wiper Sr. returned recently from a visit to Sidney, B.C.

The Harmattan H. Club met at the home of Mrs. W. Dodd on May 5th at which time plans were made for a dance to be held in June.

Mr. W. Dodd returned Wednesday from the Olds hospital, where he had been a patient for several days.

Miss Noeren Johnson also paid the hospital a visit when she fell from her bicycle and cut her knee badly. Several stitches were required.

A very nice community shower was held in the hall on Thursday, May 6, in honor of Mrs. George Nicholson (Thelma Gilmore). The 26 ladies present were entertained by taking part in two contests, the first being won by Mrs. W. Turnbull and the second by Mrs. Bob Strand.

After being seated at a table decorated with pink and white streamers, the presents were presented to the bride in a gaily decorated basket by Sheila Smith and Darlene Dodd, assisted by Judy Conrad, Noeren Johnson and Darlene Moore.

After opening her gifts, assisted by her mother and Mrs. Alfred Beuchamp, she thanked the ladies for their kindness and a delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stockbauer were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stockbauer for a few days recently.

Services will be held at St. George's Anglican Church on Sunday, May 16 at 11:15 a.m. with Rev. Doyle of Olds officiating.

LIFT MORE ROAD BANS

More road bans were lifted at noon Monday by the Alberta Highway Traffic Board. They were special Area No. 2 and No. 3 on highway No. 2 South-Peace River, No. 34 Triangle-Grande Prairie, No. 43 Valleyview-Little Smoky River and No. 49 Donnelly-Watson.

PLASTIC BAG FATAL TO TWO-YEAR-OLD

A young girl, aged 2, of Mill-walker, was suffocated when she found a plastic bag and pulled it over her head. The infant, investigating a bureau drawer while she was supposed to be sleeping, found the bag. She poked her head in it and tightened the elastic opening.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

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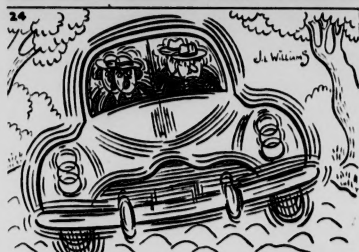
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- 1949 AUSTIN SEDAN**. An economical car at a very low price.
- 1948 CHEVROLET SEDAN**, completely overhauled and a new paint job. This car also has a custom radio and sun visor, making it an ideal car for your summer vacation.
- 1947 CHEVROLET SEDAN DELIVERY**, in A-1 shape. This panel has had a new paint job and is ready for miles of service.
- 1951 CHEVROLET 2½-TON TRUCK**, complete with 12-ft. grain box. This truck is in nice shape and is an ideal unit for the grain farmer or stockman.
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HOW TO AVOID WORRY

Worry, as medical men know, can actually induce organic disease. And even when it does not, it can devour energy and undermine health and shorten life. Yet worry is quite curable.

A. J. Cronin, noted doctor-writer, offers in the May Reader's Digest a prescription for avoiding "Private Enemy Number One," which is worry.

By learning to control our thought processes we can put worry in its place. In setting out to achieve this control we should rid ourselves at once of the false notion that worry is a peculiarity of the weak and the failures. Worry can be a sign of potential strength, proof that a man wants to succeed in his career. Many men whose names are immortal have been instinctive worriers, but they have learned how to deal with worry.

Cronin suggests: "Make a list of your worries. When they are down on paper you realize how many of them are vague and futile. An estimate would run about as follows: things that never happen, 40 per cent; things that can't be changed, 30 per cent; needless health worries, 10 per cent; real legitimate worries, eight per cent. . . . What we dread rarely comes to pass."

Financial worries constitute a great part of all anxiety. The Digest article says that there is one way to solve them — by following the classic exhortation: "Simplify." By living more simply by cutting out certain luxuries, we may rid ourselves of many distracting worries. For self-pity, too, the article sees one answer: "Instead of seeing ourselves as the centre of existence, we must turn our thoughts towards others and come thus to realize our true place as members of a family, community, nation."

But the finest attitude to worry is work. Reader's Digest contends: As Henry Ward Beecher said: "Work is healthy; you can hardly put more upon a man than he can bear. Worry is the rust upon the blade."

NEWSPRINT LEADS CANADIAN EXPORTS

Newsprint paper regained first place among Canada's leading exports in 1953; higher average prices over the year raised the value of newsprint exported to \$619 million.

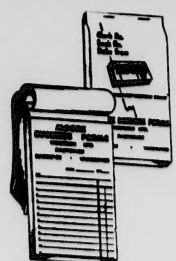
This is the second time that a leading export has surpassed \$600 million in value for the year; the 1952 leader, wheat, set a record of \$621 million for exports of one commodity in a calendar year.

Better supplies in other countries brought a decline in wheat exports to \$568 million in 1953 but even at this figure, these exports remained above those of any post-war year except 1952.

Both lumber and wood pulp were affected by lower average prices and changing markets in 1953.

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NOTICE

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(Signed)

E. S. BROWER,
Administrator,
Didsbury, Alta. 31c

FOR SALE TO CLOSE AN ESTATE

Sealed tenders will be received up to 8 p.m. on the 15th day of May, 1954, at the office of Reiber Brothers, Didsbury, Alberta, for the purchase for cash of the following properties:

1. The west half of Lot 24, Block 1, Plan Didsbury 1427-2E. This is a portion of the Leeser Block, opposite the Rosebud Hotel, in the centre of the business district. Two-story brick veneer, butcher shop with furniture and fixtures, on ground floor. Cement basement, plumbing. Business established in 1925. On second floor there are two three-room suites, plumbing hot and cold, no bath.

2. Lot 14, Block 14, Plan Didsbury 1118-1. This is a frame bungalow, five rooms and bathroom, part cement basement, oil furnace, nice garden, situated in best residential district.

Premises may be viewed by appointment. The highest or any tender for both, or either, of the properties, not necessarily accepted. Phone 50, Reiber Brothers, Didsbury, Alta. 16-40c

THE TEST OF A MAN

The test of man is the fight he makes. The grit that he daily shows: The way he stands on his feet and takes Fate's numerous bumps and blows. A coward can smile when there's naught to fear. When nothing his progress bars; But it takes a man to stand up and cheer. While some other fellow starves.

It's the bumps you get and the jolts you get, And the knocks that your courage stands. The hours of sorrow and vain regret.

The prize that escapes your hands. That tests your mettle and proves your worth. It isn't the blow you deal. But the blows you take on this miserable earth. That shows if your stuff is real.

Last year the national income increased by 5 per cent over 1952; wages, salaries and other labor income was up by 8 per cent, while farm income was down by 14 per cent.

PASTURE FOR STOCK — Available for 50 head; \$2.00 per month a head. Dave Wiens, Bergen, 19 miles west and 3 miles north of Didsbury. 17-30p

FOUND — Lady's wrist watch, at the Tabernacle. Owner may claim same by contacting Rev. Shantz. 18-21c

WANTED — A few boarders. Anyone interested please phone 240, Didsbury. 17-31p

WANTED — Medium size kid's tricycle. Phone 715, Didsbury. 18-21p

FOR SALE OR RENT — Four bedroom house, near school. Downstairs vacant at present; can be rented separately. Phone 240, Didsbury. 18-30p

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Portable sawmill, in new condition, 16-ft. carriage, 42" assorted teeth saw. Will trade for lumber or tractor of equal value. Terms to responsible party. Apply E. P. Jackson, 8 miles west, 3 miles north of Didsbury. 17-31p

FOR SALE — 1949 Austin car, in good condition. Heater, radio, spare tire. Priced reasonably. Box 332, phone 819. 19-2p

FOR SALE — National milking machine. Two units, used 6 months. Arnold C. Bode, Rt. 1210, Didsbury. 18-31p

FOR SALE — Five-room house, to be moved off property, \$500. Apply Dave Wiens, Bergen. 17-30p

FOR SALE — Compana barley, 93% germ, cert. 73-8325, 85c per bus. over 100 bus. lots, cleaned. Legacy oats, 90% bin run, cert. 73-8048, 85c bus. over 100 bus. lots. Phone 2015 Carstairs, Lloyd Vogel. 18-21p

FOR SALE — 250 bus. Legacy seed oats, germ. 95%, cert. no. 73-2173, 80 cents per bushel, cleaned. P.O.B. Coles Cleaning Mill, Didsbury, phone 185. 18-21p

FOR SALE — Olli barley, 3rd germ, 95% germ, good yielding strain, clean bin run, \$1.00 per bus.; few bushels 2nd germ, \$1.50 per bus. Burns Bros., phone 1303. 18-11p

FOR SALE — No. 1 Fescue seed, 36c pound. Apply Hammer Bros., 7 miles east, 1 mile south of Olds, phone 909 or 921. Olds. 18-11p

FOR SALE — Registered purebred Hereford bull, 3½ years old. Also two girl's bicycles in good condition, \$20 each. Apply Pat Sprague, R.R. 2, Didsbury. 19-11p

FOR SALE — Fully modern three-bedroom bungalow, garage. Basement, good garden, trees, two fully finished rooms in attic, suitable for renting high school pupils or others if desired. Full price \$8800, some terms to reliable party. R. G. Fullerton, phone 49, Didsbury. 19-21p

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FIRST CROP REPORT

The first of the season's crop reports issued by the Alberta Wheat Pool states that there are indications the province's wheat acreage may be down about 5 per cent this year from the 6,340,000 acres seeded to that grain last year. Acreage under oats may be up 2 per cent from the 2,357,000 figure of 1953 and barley acreage may be up 1 per cent from the 3,489,000 acreage seeded last year. These are tentative estimates as lateness in seeding may bring about a further decline in wheat acreage.

The Wheat Pool reports that at May 1 there was only a small amount of wheat seeded at the old spot in Southern Alberta. Even with the most favorable weather little seeding will be possible before next week. Over the past 20 years an average of 19 per cent of the wheat crop has been sown by April 30. However, the fact that seeding this year is much later than usual should not cause alarm since over the years there seems to be little, if any, relationship between the time of seeding and the yield.

The supply of moisture in summer-fallow is generally good while in stubble topsoil moisture is fairly good and sub-soil moisture only fair. The snow of recent weeks and rain have added considerably to top-soil moisture.

FARMER WINS TAX CASE

The federal income tax appeal board has supported the contention of an Alberta farmer that delivery of grain to an elevator does not constitute a sale and its value as shown on receipts did not have to be included in income at that time.

The appeal board allowed the appeal not so much on the argument that the grain was stored in the elevator and not sold, as on the fact that the receipts themselves were not negotiable.

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Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor, I am sending you an article as a letter to the editor which I would appreciate seeing in print.

ISAAC SPREEMAN, Didsbury

WHAT GOD SAYS ABOUT STRONG DRINK

"Do not drink wine nor strong drink... lest ye die."—Leviticus 10:9.

"Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging; and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise."—Prov. 20:1.

"The drunkard shall come to poverty; who hath sorrow? who hath contentions? who hath babbles? who hath wounds without cause? who hath redness of eyes?"

"They that tarry long at the wine; they go to seek mixed wine."

"Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his color in the cup, when it moveth itself aright."

"At last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder."

"Thine eyes shall behold strange women, and thine heart shall utter perverse things."

"Yea, thou shalt be as he that lieth down in the midst of the sea, as he that lieth upon the top of a mast."

"They have stricken me, shall thou say, and I was not sick; they have beaten me, and I felt it not; when shall I awake? I will seek it yet again."—Proverbs 23:29-35.

"Woe unto them that rise up early in the morning, that they may follow strong drink; that continue until night, till wine inflame them!"—Isaiah 5:11.

"Woe unto them that are mighty to drink wine, and men of strength, to mingle strong drink."—Isaiah 5:22.

"They have erred through wine, and through strong drink are out of the way; the priest and the prophet have erred through strong drink; they are swallowed up of wine, they are out of the way through strong drink; they err in vision, they stumble in judgment."—Isaiah 28:7.

"Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor drink, that putteth thy bottle to him, and maketh him drunken."—Habakkuk 2:15.

"Be not deceived, drunkards shall not inherit the Kingdom of God."—1 Cor. 6:10.

The Old Testament sanctions the use of strong drink for one purpose, and one only, namely: as a medicine for one who is dying—heart failure, for example—but for nothing else (Prov. 31:6). And, remember medicine is always taken in extremely small doses.

The New Testament gives no permission for its use under any circumstances whatever. Wherever it is mentioned it is most strongly condemned and prohibited.

Wine is permitted in the Old Testament for the heavy-hearted (Prov. 31:6, 7), and, on the New Testament, as a remedy for a weak stomach (1 Timothy 5:23), but it is the sweet, unfarmenental Palestine wine made from grapes. For no other purpose is it authorized.

IT'S FUN TO BE HEALTHY

You can have a lot more fun in life if you are healthy and it is often possible for a person to ward off ill health by exercise of will power in the matter of eating wisely, keeping the weight down to a normal figure and avoiding fatigue and too much tension in living. By having a regular medical examination, such diseases as diabetes, cancer and tuberculosis and arthritis can usually be discovered while they are still in the early stages where prompt and proper treatment can cure them.

People over forty who allow themselves to stagnate and lose interest in normal activity, often over eat and allow their weight to get out of hand. This could lead to several forms of ill health which could be avoided by following this advice.

FARM YOUNG PEOPLE'S WEEK TO BE HELD IN JUNE

Again this year the Alberta Wheat Pool will sponsor the attendance of 35 farm boys or girls at the University of Alberta's Farm Young People's Week. The course is being held in Edmonton from June 8 to 16. This is the 10th consecutive year that the Pool has sponsored a group at this course.

The young people this year will be sent from the Pool's numerous sub-districts. Any farm organization operating wholly or mainly within the boundaries of one of these sub-districts may nominate a boy or girl, whose age should be between 18 and 26. Where more than one candidate is nominated in a sub-district selection will be made mainly on the basis of leadership ability.

The Wheat Pool will pay the return transportation and \$15 towards the cost of room and board of each.

For further information and nomination forms see your local Alberta Wheat Pool agent.

CRITICISM

It's easy enough to pick out the flaws in the work that others have done.

To point out the errors that others have made When your own task you haven't begun.

It's easy enough to fuss and find fault When others are doing their best.

To sneer at the little that they have achieved, When you have done nothing but rest.

It's easy enough to cavil and carp, To criticize, scuff and deride, For few of us ever have done perfect work.

No matter how hard we have tried, It's easy enough not to speak of the best, And to dwell all the time on the worst.

And perhaps it is proper some-times to find fault, But be sure that you've done something first.

Hector L. Robarge

Notes From D.A.

HUGH MCPHAIL

Grasses Suitable For Lawns: R. H. Knowles, horticulturist with the department of plant science, University of Alberta, is in charge of the tests of grasses suitable for lawns.

It is not so much a matter of introducing new grasses, as trying to find out more about the grasses we have, Mr. Knowles advises. But some recent introductions are receiving attention. One of them is Merion blue grass. This strain of Kentucky blue, developed in Philadelphia, is doing well here. It provided a dense turf, has good texture, can be mown quite short, and stands up well from early spring to fall. Seed is expensive and difficult to obtain at present, but there are signs that Merion blue grass may eventually replace the common Kentucky blue on Alberta lawns.

In the meantime, Kentucky blue grass and creeping red fescue make up the standard mixture for this area. Used at the rate of one lb. Kentucky blue to 4 lbs. creeping red fescue for 1000 square feet, this mixture provides an attractive lawn where water can be applied when needed.

Creeping red fescue is also suitable for shady spots, but Kentucky blue is not. For shaded areas, the Kentucky blue grass might be replaced with rough-stalked blue grass. For this purpose, 1 lb. rough-stalked blue grass to 4 lbs. creeping red fescue is the recommended rate. This is enough to cover 1000 square feet.

WHAT GAS CAN DO

If all goes well, western natural gas will be available in Ontario and Quebec via the all-Canada pipeline in less than three years time.

A big new market must be developed and developed speedily. The Financial Post advises. Unless we sell a lot of gas the unit cost will be far too high. Now is the time to start that market development work.

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Through The Study Window

By REV. C. C. ARMSTRONG

On the day when this appears in print, the Red Deer Presbytery of the United Church of Canada will be meeting in Knox United Church, Didsbury. As this is the first time in many years that the Presbytery has met here, perhaps a word concerning the meetings will be of interest.

The unit of organization in the United Church is the pastoral charge, which itself is made up of one or more congregations. Each pastoral charge has the right to send two representatives, a minister and a layman, to Presbytery. This principle of equal representation arises out of the belief that the governing body of the church should be neither exclusively members of the clergy nor exclusively lay people. Their voting power is equal. The Red Deer Presbytery consists of an equal number of representatives of the pastoral charges from Wetaskiwin to Carstairs, and including points both east and west of this line. The term presbytery itself is an inheritance from the Presbyterian church.

It is the duty of the Presbytery to have oversight of the Pastoral Charges within its bounds and to adopt measure for promoting their religious life, and report to Conference concerning this matter; to receive and dispose of petitions and appeals; have oversight of students looking forward to the ministry; deal with money matters, changes of pastoral relationship (minister moving to another point) and so on.

In order to help promote the religious life of the pastoral charges, and to stimulate interest in the work and witness of the Church, there will be a public meeting in Knox Church at 8 p.m., Wednesday, May 12th, at which time Rev. Dr. S. J. B. Parsons, of Scarborough Church, Calgary, will be the speaker. His special emphasis is on evangelism and social service, and he can speak on this with conviction and power.

The business sessions of the Presbytery are continued on Thursday mornings and afternoon. The public are encouraged to attend as observers, and will be welcome. This will be held May 26th to June 5th, at Banff.

The fact that Presbytery so rarely meets here means that this is a very special opportunity to learn at first hand, something of the work of the church, on a larger scale than that of the local church. Remember especially the public meeting tonight, in Knox Church, at 8:00 p.m.

STATE CONTROL

It is now illegal for a motorist to drive his car bearing old licence plates on the front, even if he has the correct plate on the rear of his car. From licence plates were done away with for two reasons: (1) To save money in doing away with one plate and (2) because generally they were so dirty nobody could read them anyway.

The government appears to be trying

Notes From D.A.

By Hugh McPhail

Loose Smut of Barley: Too complicated for general farm use has been the standard hot water treatment for loose smut control in barley, but nobody thought that soaking the grain in water at room temperature could be effective. Nobody, that is, until Dr. L. E. Tyner recently discovered and suggested the process.

In the Science Service Laboratory of Plant Pathology on the University campus at Edmonton, Dr. Tyner had been studying the use of chemicals for loose smut control. Of these chemicals, one of the most promising, soaking barley in a water solution of 0.2 per cent Speron for 48 hours at room temperature controlled loose smut well. But before giving full credit to the chemical for the good work done, Dr. Tyner wanted to know what part the water played. So he soaked seed in water without Speron.

He found that the barley soaked in water alone for 40 hours gave around 50 per cent control of the loose smut, and that soaking in water for 64 hours gave just as much control as soaking in the Speron solution. Both treatments were carried out at room temperature and both proved effective.

How then are two methods farmers can use to drive loose smut from their barley crops. Neither can be used to treat a large amount of grain under farm conditions but each has its advantages. Their purpose, Dr. Tyner advises, is to provide a simple means of seed treatment for the farmer who is anxious to rid his barley fields of loose smut and is content to produce his own smut-free seed.

The best idea, he says, is to treat three or four bushels of seed and use it for two or three acres. This should be the seed plot, well isolated from other barley on one's own or adjoining farms. Yield from this small plot can then be used to plant the main crop. For a successful program the process should be continued. A small lot should be treated each year and maintained in an isolated plot.

Best-to-follow directions for these new methods of loose smut control in barley can be obtained from district agriculturists or from the Science Service Laboratory, University of Alberta, Edmonton.

ing to make the licence plate situation as complicated as possible and must have a big office full of civil servants thinking up new methods of altering present arrangements. For many years the licence plate was the same and now we seem to have annual changes.

So don't forget to take your old licence plate off the front of your car. Like many other things these days it is against the law. Soon legislation may be brought in to bar wearing sport shirts on Sunday.

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More than any revelations of spy-rings, more than any propaganda advantage, this is the lasting importance of the Petrov case.

BIG OIL COUNTRY

Less than seven years ago Canada imported over 90 per cent of her crude petroleum needs. Today we are getting about half of it from other fields in Western Canada.

"Within two years," Imperial Oil's J. R. White says, the market for Prairie oil may be close to three times its present size. Canada, says White, is now in the "big oil country" class.

What does this mean to all of us? Money we used to spend on foreign oil we can now use for other imports.

There are new industries and new jobs, not just in oil refineries and pipelines, but in vast associated areas such as the new petrochemical industry. And most of these new jobs and new industries are developing a part of Canada that was almost an industrial blank prior to the large scale discovery of oil and gas.

Oil and gas are bringing real and major diversification to Prairie Canada, are broadening an economy which for long was almost completely dependent on one or two farm products.

The whole of Canada gains from this significant change.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

That man can gain health, happiness, and immortality by relying on the spiritual facts of God and man taught by Christ Jesus will be emphasized at Christian Science services Sunday. The Lesson-Service, entitled "Mortals and Immortals" includes the account from the Bible of how Christ Jesus restored to life the only son of the widow of Nain (Luke 7: 11-16). Explaining the basis of Christ Jesus' healing power, the following passage will be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Jesus never missed if disease were acute or chronic, and he never recommended attention to laws of health never gave drugs, never prayed to know if God were willing that a man should live. He understood man, whose life is God, to be immortal, and knew that man has not two lives, one to be destroyed and the other to be made indestructible" (369: 16).

THE CURE ALL

We recently heard a church member denounce his own and other churches, because in his words, "they don't solve the basic economic and social problems." He might just as well criticize aspirin for not curing appendicitis trouble or penicillin for not alleviating a headache.

The church's field is man's soul, his aspirations and his yearnings for unity with God. Nevertheless the churches have long exercised influence in the social field, holding up ideals of behavior towards one's neighbor, which in the long run led to forms of social reform such as we know today, and rightly so. Great preachers have been influential in bringing to public attention the shame of many economic set-ups. It was thought that modern men, unhardened by economic stability and by long working hours, would take his leisure time to God.

The church finds itself sadly un-rewarded. Instead of helping in freeing men from economic bonds in order to allow him time for thought and worship and prayer, it finds itself to be a sort of entertainment broker, a social service centre, a personal counselling agency.

To attract man to prayer and worship, the church must entertain him with clubs and activities; it must amuse him or excite him to the extent that some preachers have become mountebanks in their extravagant efforts at gaining man's attention.

The Christian church finds itself so smothered by social or economic problems, so harried by a thousand worldly considerations, so strained in competing for man's attention, that it has little time for its real job, that of helping man to a right relationship with God, and through that a right relationship with his fellow men. This is fundamental to all human relationship. It would even bring about the "desirable behaviour" so much touted by the "progressive educationists."

It is not the job of the church to do the work of political organizations, but its mission is the transformation and redemption of man's soul and aspirations, so that worthwhile social

The Joke Box...

A married student met a doctor on the street one day and decided to try for a little free advice.

"Doc," said the student, "my little boy twisted his ankle and now he has to limp a bit. What would you do if it were you?"

"Why," answered the shrewd doctor, "I imagine I'd limp too."

She—Darling, call the carpenter and ask him to fix the garage door.

He—I thought he fixed it yesterday.

She—But I had the car out again today.

Is she making him a good wife? Not exactly, but she's making him a good husband.

Professor—Do you know who I am? Freshman—No sir, but if you can remember your address, I'll take you home.

A dandy once entered a store and leaning against a post, said: "Have you anything fresh?"

"Yes," replied the proprietor, "the paint you are leaning on is fresh."

Wife—How did you like the chocolate cake I baked for you?

Husband—It was terrible.

Wife—That's funny, the cook book said it's delicious.

Joe, you look strong and charactered don't weigh much, why don't you carry your own?

programs and works of welfare may be successful.

—The Nanton News

COLD FEET

A lonely young man in a strange city inserted this advertisement in the local paper:

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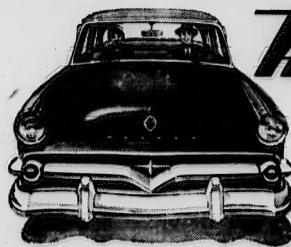


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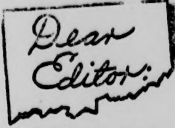
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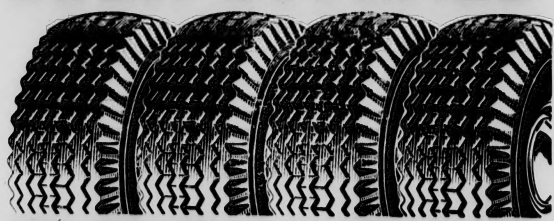
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SIGNS OF ECONOMIC RECOVERY

Reports from the United States indicate that the recession has been halted and recovery of the economic position is under way. Industry is absorbing more employees and surpluses are being dealt with on a more practical basis.

Industries that were riding the waves of post-war prosperity have flourished, to be sure, but many new industries have been established to take their place. Wage and production costs have risen, and it is absorbing more employees and surpluses are being dealt with on a more practical basis.

Housing is still a problem in the

States and the costs are abnormally high, even in comparison with Canadian standards. Canada usually follows the economic pattern of the United States within a very few months.

THE CANCER FUND IS WORTHY

Didsbury set a very fine record in support of the Red Cross. Now the Cancer Fund project will be before the public and it is equally deserving. Some progress is being made in combatting this human enemy, but there is still a long way to go before victory is complete.

M.V.B.C. NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Miss Mary Walsh, Dean of Women, has been a guest at the graduation exercises, Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, where her niece finished the prescribed course recently. Miss Walsh will return to the College for a few days soon before leaving for the summer months. The students have returned to their homes. Needless to say we miss them. Those who were members of the A Capella Choir re-parted as they sang in the many churches of their itinerary. With the exception of a break-down of the bus in which they started, there were no mishaps, and they were able to reach their appointments on schedule time. Mr. Lusk, the director, is to be commended on the work done with the choir this winter. When we recognize that most of the students were in the choir for the first time, the commendation is all the more earned. Mr. Taylor and Mr. Waldin were members of the choir on this tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lusk, and daughter Christine, left for the east where they will very shortly continue work in music. The summer will be a busy one for them, and when they return in the fall they will do deputation work in this conference.

Mrs. Habermehl, our good cook, has returned to her home for the summer. This last week, however, she and her father, Mr. W. Lachman, were busily engaged for a day or so cutting up fat and rendering it for soap. Mrs. Habermehl keeps the school supplied with this cleansing agent, and what good soap she does make.

Mrs. Lydia Suder, director of the Women's Missionary Society of this Conference, will leave this week with a number of others, for the Inter-Conference Council of Women to be held in Kitchener, Ont. While there she will also attend the annual board meeting of the United Missionary Society. Miss Joyce Burkholder, Reg.N., who graduated this year with her Bachelor of Sacred Literature degree from the College, will also attend this meeting as a candidate for foreign work in Nigeria, West Africa.

The Faculty of the College held a meeting in the Pentecost Church on the 4th of the month, at which time curriculum for the coming year was the main item of discussion. This was a nice outing for the six members and much was accomplished in this beautiful church setting. Several additions and changes were made in the course of studies that will improve the courses offered to prospective students, of which there are quite a number.

The "Compass," a student annual publication, is off the press and in the hands of Edward Oke, the new business manager of the staff. Be sure that you get your copy. Should you not get it soon, see Harold concerning it, or if you haven't subscribed give him a call. He will be happy to supply you with one. The annual is worth having in your home.

In the past years friends of the College have put in additional garden for the school needs. We trust this will be done again this year. Faithful friends have been of inestimable help from year to year. Some have given garden produce, supplied us with eggs for packing away, given us large numbers of chickens, turkey, etc. We solicit the good will of each one for the coming year.

MUSICAL FESTIVAL SERIES, OLDS INSPECTORATE, ENDS MAY 17TH

Eleven hundred and 52 pupils of the Olds Inspectorate participated in the four musical festivals which culminated the musical-dramatic training in the schools. The festival at Sundre, Olds-East, Wimbome-Torrington and at Cremona, were capably organized by the directors, Mr. J. Weir, Mrs. M. Campbell, Mrs. M. Miller and Miss E. Olson, under the general direction of Mr. X. P. Crispo, M.A., superintendent.

The adjudicators remarked on the excellence of musical renditions: choruses, duets and solos, and on the dramatic data: choral speech, recitations and operetta-song dramatizations.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Sir: Would appreciate just a little space in your splendid paper to give a short report of the Home for Senior Citizens.

At our board meeting last week many problems of the home were discussed. All members expressed themselves as being incapable, fully, to have the "know how" of the running of such a home. Mistakes have been made, but trust that they have been but incentives to do better in the future.

The aim of the board is to make home away from home for those who are obliged, by the force of circumstances, to be away from home; to this end we are striving. We trust also that if you hear anything about the home which is not a credit, we would appreciate it if you would contact some member of the board.

At present we have only four guests. Two others had been residents, one passed to her reward and another had the misfortune to sustain severe injuries in an accident which left her in need of regular nursing care. At present we could take care of several more guests and if you know of any, would you let us know.

The members of the board are: Frank Jackson, chairman; W. Reist, secretary; I. C. Stauffer, A. Traub, Mrs. Ruth Long, Mrs. B. Johnson, Mrs. H. Gullie, Mrs. W. McFarquhar.

Thank you, Mr. Editor.
W. REIST, Secretary

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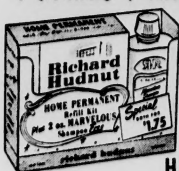
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Little Items of Local Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ranton and son Brent of Alexo were weekend visitors at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ranton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Devine were Calgary visitors on Friday and Saturday where they attended the wedding of Shirley Hutton and Raymond Fox of Carstairs.

It appears there was a utility salesman working the town on Sunday. It is suspected he was working without a proper licence but at last reports we find he ended up in the hole as far as profits are concerned, so no action is expected to be taken by local authorities.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Geiger, daughters Deane and Dell, and son Walter Erwin, arrived in Didsbury recently after attending Deane's graduation at Miller's Memorial Institute at Pumbreen, Sask. They visited Mrs. Geiger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Brower, as well as other relatives in Didsbury and other points. They left here at 7 a.m. on April 29 and arrived home in Fruitvale at 2 a.m. the following day. After their return home they reported of green lawns and daffodils in bloom, quite a change from the frigid weather this area was experiencing at the time. Didsbury is the home town of Mr. Geiger, while his wife was brought up in the Zella district.

Mrs. Barney Elliott returned home Sunday from Warm Springs, Ga., where her young son is undergoing treatment for polio.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawkins and Robbie were weekend guests with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kendrick. Mrs. Dawkins and Robbie will remain to visit for several days.

Miss Geraldine Ford of Edmonton has returned to her duties following a three-week vacation at her parental home here.

Miss Lois Falk, formerly of Sunnyvale and Didsbury, and now of Victoria, B.C., was one of 70 nurses who received diplomas at the graduation exercises of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, on May 2nd. A reception for 25 guests was arranged in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gregory following the graduation. Mrs. Florence Finlay spent a short time with Mr. and Mrs. W. Falk and attended the graduation and reception.

Mrs. Alice Heathcote and Mrs. H. Watts and children of Calgary were weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shannon.

Miss Evelyn Kaufman of Calgary was a weekend guest with Mr. and Mrs. F. Kaufman.

Join your Fish and Game Association now! The local membership committee consists of George McDonald, Ed Ford and Ken McCoy and any one of them will be pleased to give any particulars concerning the association.

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A wedding dance will be held on Friday, May 14, in Melvin hall for Mr. and Mrs. Cec Papke. Everyone welcome.

A regular meeting of Mons Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held May 13 at 8 p.m. sharp in the Lions hall.

Notice to all students 12 years of age and over. You are cordially invited to the Lions hall this Friday from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. for square dancing, with Murray Anderson calling (beginners welcome). A charge of 25c will be made to cover rental, etc. There will be parents in charge at the hall but students are asked to make their own arrangements for transportation home. If well attended this will be a weekly event.

Don't forget the Golf Club meeting on Friday night at 8 p.m. Election of officers.

Mr. Idris Jenkins of Red Deer visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. M. Jenkins.

Mrs. C. P. Reimer is back from Hays, Kan., after spending the weekend with her sister, Florence Kulbeck, formerly of this district.

BIRTHS AT DIDSBURY MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL

To Mr. and Mrs. C. Leeson of Didsbury, on May 7, a daughter.

NOTICE

After May 16, starting on Monday, May 17, all wickets at the post office will be closed at 5:30 p.m. nightly.

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BLACKOUTS REPORTED

Latest reports from Olds are that some participants in the Olds Elks Car Bingo have reported blackouts. Those of you who have cards that are blacked out should follow the instructions on the back of your card and report as soon as possible. The list of all numbers drawn to date appear elsewhere in this issue.

EAST NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondents)

The Orioles met at the home of Mrs. Otto Bittner on Sunday to take their first lesson in leather craft. The following were Mother's Day dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker: Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clendenen, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schumaker and son Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Schumaker, Leslie Schumaker and Miss Hoesht of Olds, Harry Monach and Jim Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Wagner and Ernie spent Sunday in Calgary with the latter's mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCulloch and son Leonard were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Krebs and family, and Miss Lila McCulloch, were Mother's Day guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McCulloch.

Mrs. Walter McCulloch and Mrs. Stanley Schumaker were Tuesday evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pross.

The following were Tuesday evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker: Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner, Walter McCulloch, Stanley Schumaker, George Lons, Alfie Thompson and Beverley and Norman Neufeld.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gebers, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCulloch were Calgary visitors recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker, Joyce and Rex, were last Monday evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCulloch and Leonard, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Schumaker motored to Calgary last Monday to play Lingo at the Corral. Mr. James McCulloch and Mr. Peter Kryklyw were business visitors in Calgary on Friday.

Sympathies are extended to the Schneider family in their sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Schumaker, Pete Schumaker and Reinald, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner and family and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Ziegler and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson Sunday.

Mr. Raymond Haynie spent a few days with his parents recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson called on Mr. and Mrs. Herb Ziegler last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson were business visitors in Calgary last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bathburn and family were Mother's Day callers on the latter's parents.

Mr. Harold Hobbs and Teddy Weale were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson and family.

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11th	12th	13th	14th	15th
N-45	I-21	O-65	B-2	G-50
16th	17th	18th	19th	20th
O-70	I-22	G-59	G-55	B-8
21st	22nd	23rd	24th	25th
G-60	O-74	O-72	N-37	O-71
26th	27th	28th	29th	30th
G-52	N-34	O-76	B-4	G-57
31st	32nd	33rd	34th	35th
I-23	O-66	N-44	B-3	I-19
36th	37th	38th	39th	40th
B-1	G-58	O-73	I-28	N-33
41st	42nd	43rd	44th	45th
N-43	G-56	B-8	I-20	O-68
46th	47th	48th	49th	50th
N-35	I-17	N-31	G-61	O-69
51st	52nd	53rd	54th	55th
I-24	I-18	B-6	I-26	I-30

NEW NUMBERS —

56th	57th	58th	59th	60th
B-13	G-49	B-12	G-47	O-63

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